

Applicants believe that presently pending claims 1-54 present allowable subject matter and evaluation and allowance is respectfully requested. If any impediment to the allowance of the patent application is found, and such impediment could be alleviated during a telephone interview, the Examiner is invited to telephone either Mr. David Osborne, or the undersigned attorney at (801) 566-6633, so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

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Version with Markings to Show Changes Made

Please amend page 14, line 15 to read as follows:

--a mixture of two or more of such [excipients] minerals--

Please amend page 15, lines 14 and 15, in the specification to read as follows:

--substance other than [huperzine, or other cholinesterase inhibitors] aconitine or aconitine alkaloids, or other analgesic agents, which may be used to treat or improve a--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 36, line 12, with the following paragraph:

Specific examples of acceptable herbs and botanical extracts include but are not limited to [Green tea plant, Causena Lansium, Crocus Sativus, Danshen (salvia miltiorrhize), Dongui (Radix angelicae sinensis), Eucommia, Evening primrose, Gastrodia elata, German chamomile, Ginseng, Ginkgo Baloba, Hopes, Horn goat weed (epimedium sagittatum), Kava, Lemon balm, Mishmi bitter (coptis sinensis), Morning star (Uncaria rhychophylla), Passion flower, Physostigmine, Securinega Suffructicosa, Scutellaria baicalensis, Siberian cork tree (phellodendron amurense), Skullcap, St. John's Wort,] Asarum L. sieboldi Mig., Camphol, Clove (Flos syzygii Aromatici), Corydalis ambigua, Danshen (salvia miltiorrhize), Dongui (Radix angelicae sinensis), Forsythia suspensa (thunb.) Vahl., Ginseng, Ginkgo Biloba, Impatiens balsamina L. Ib., Ligusticum wallichii Franch, Myrrha, Olibanum, Pearl, Polygalaceae L., Speranskia tuberculata Bail, St., St. John's Wort, Valerian, and mixtures thereof.